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Route To:

Subject: Beegum Watershed Restoration Project

To: Project Participants

Dear Public Participants,

We are extending the public scoping period for the Beegum Watershed Restoration Project. The end of the scoping period will be September 30, 2011.

Your Involvement

You are invited to participate in the NEPA analysis for the Beegum Creek Watershed Restoration project by providing comments to us during this public scoping period. If you have information you feel the Forest Service may not be aware of or feel you have issues (points of dispute, debate, or disagreement) regarding potential effects of this proposed action, please send those issues in writing to the address listed at the close of this letter. We will use any significant issues that are identified to develop alternatives to the Proposed Action.

Where to Send Comments

Please send your written comments to: Brad Rust, Beegum Creek Watershed Restoration Project, Shasta-Trinity National Forest, 3644 Avtech Parkway, Redding, CA 96002. Electronic comments can be sent via e-mail to: comments-pacificsouthwest-shasta-trinity-yollabolla-hayfork@fs.fed.us; indicate "Beegum Creek Watershed Restoration Project" in the subject line.

The interdisciplinary team will review all of the scoping comments received, identify additional issues from the scoping comments that need to be addressed in the Proposed Action or any additional alternatives, and begin analyzing the alternatives. Scoping comments should be as specific as possible in order for the Forest Service to identify and consider each issue or concern. Your input and participation are encouraged. While comments will be accepted and considered up until the decision is made, timely submission of scoping comments is important for them to be fully considered and incorporated into the Proposed Action or any additional alternatives as appropriate. Comments received, including the names and addresses of those who comment, will be considered part of the public record on this proposal and will be available for public inspection (Authority: 40 CFR 1501.7 and 1508.22; Forest Service



Handbook 1909.15, Section 21). Please see the original scoping letter for a full description of the purpose and need for the project and the Proposed Action. The scoping letter can be found at: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=35256.

We appreciate your interest in the management of public lands. Please contact Brad Rust at: 530-226-2427 or brust@fs.fed.us if you would like any additional information about this project or hard copy maps of the project area.

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